Application No.: 10/542402 Docket No.: 36871-220848

REMARKS

This paper responds to the Office action dated July 16, 2007.

In the Office Action, the Examiner has indicated claims 1-7 are allowed.

Claim 11 was objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim. In view of the objection, the applicant has amended Claim 11 to incorporate the limitations recited in Claim 9 and has provided additional clarification in order to better define the invention.

Claims 9 and 10 have been cancelled in view of the rejection.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee required by this filing or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 22-0261.

Wherefore, it is submitted that the case in now in condition for allowance and an early notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

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